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In re Application of:)
Lisa C. HAMMITT et al.) Group Art Unit: 3623
Application No.: 09/642,200) Examiner: J. Romain
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For: ONTOLOGY-DRIVEN) Confirmation No.: 6794
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as set forth in the following pages.

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are included in the attached replacement drawing sheets. The amendments are discussed in the **Remarks** section of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.